

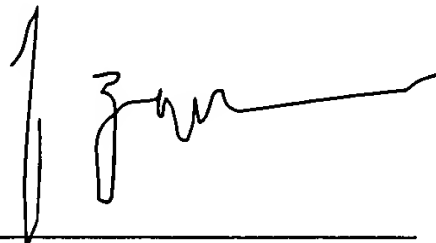


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Respectfully submitted,

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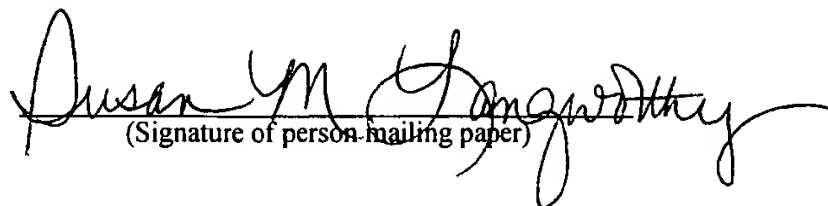


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**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PATENT EXAMINATION BRANCH**

In re application of:	)	Examiner:
Humpleman et al	)	Nhon (Gary) D Nguyen
	)	
For: Device Customized Home Network Top-	)	Group Art Unit:
Level Information Architecture	)	2174
	)	
Application No.: 09/592,598	)	Reply to the Final Office Action
	)	dated August 24, 2004
Filed: June 12, 2000	)	
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**REPLY/AMENDMENT**

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Commissioner of Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

This is a Reply to the Final Office Action dated August 24, 2004. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments remarks.

**Amendments to the claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 15 of this paper.